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 INFO RUESBA/AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES 3609
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EO 11652: XGDS-1
 TAGS: PFOR, AR, CI
 SUBJECT: VISIT OF ARGENTINE FOREIGN MINISTER

REF: A) BUENOS AIRES 2310-B) SANTIAGO 1996

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1. EMBASSY HAS NO SPECIFIC INFORMATION ON PURPOSE OF VIGNES' TRIP OTHER THAN [REDACTED] FONMIN CARVAJAL DID NOT ADDRESS THAT SUBJECT IN HIS BRIEF COMMENT TO AMBASSADOR APRIL 3. APPEARS TO US LIKELY FON MINS WOULD TALK ABOUT ECONOMIC COOPERATION, SUCH BORDER PROBLEMS AS THERE ARE, OAS GA AND SYG PROSPECTS, POSSIBLY COOPERATION AGAINST TERRORISTS, AND PERHAPS SECRETARY'S FORTHCOMING TRIP, WITH VARIOUS SUBJECTS THAT WILL BE ON AGENDA. [REDACTED] THEY MAY ALSO WORK ON DETAILS OF POSSIBLE MEETING BETWEEN RESPECTIVE PRESIDENTS.

2. WE ENVISAGE TRIP IN CONTEXT OF GROWING AFFINITY BETWEEN ARGENTINE REGIME SEEKING TO CRACK DOWN ON LEFTIST TERRORISM AND CHILEAN JUNTA, WHICH HAS DONE SO. GOVERNMENT SOURCES IN SANTIAGO HAVE INDICATED THEY WANT AND EXPECT IMPROVED CHILEAN-ARGENTINE RELATIONS.

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OCM		✓	LEGATT		
BAIN			DEA		
POL	3		F43		
RCOM		✓	AID		
POL/R			MILIT		
COMIS			FER		
ADM			GSO		
VNS		✓	EBP		
SCI			CHRON		
			HR		✓

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